

# VRIS UPDATE

## **HELPS Brain Injury Screen Protocol and Follow-up Questionnaire Effective 5/27/2008 Number 158**

### **SUMMARY OF UPDATES**

Effective May 15, 2008, negative HELPS screens no longer need to be forwarded to Keri Bennett. The HELPS Brain Injury Screening Protocol has been revised to reflect this change.

A HELPS Positive Screen Follow-up Questionnaire has been posted to VRIS. This questionnaire provides a place to add detail about the injury(s) that the HELPS Brain Injury Screening Tool did not provide space for. The questionnaire is being piloted in the Grand Island office; however, offices across the state are free to try it.

### **VRIS POSTING**

VRIS: Printed and Marketing Materials: Case Service Forms and Worksheets: **HELPS Brain Injury Tool and Protocol.**

VRIS: Printed and Marketing Materials: Case Service Forms and Worksheets: **HELPS Positive Screen Follow-up Questionnaire.**

### **TEAM COMMUNICATION**

Discuss the protocol change at a team meeting to ensure that all staff are aware of the protocol change.

### **LEADERSHIP CONTACT**

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